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of age and qualified since the preceding regular election, except those who may for legal causes be disqualified. That the election held under this act shall be conducted in the same manner as prescribed by law for holding elections for the members of the General Assembly: Provided, however, that the said board of road commissioners shall appoint the registrars of election, the judges or inspectors and any other election officers necessary to the holding of said election. That at any election or elections under the provisions of this act the ballots tendered and cast by the voters shall have written or printed upon them "For Good Roads" or "Against Good Roads," and all electors who favor the issuing of said bonds shall vote a ballot written or printed thereon "For Good Roads" and those opposed to the issuing of the bonds shall vote a ballot written or printed thereon "Against Good Roads." That the result of the vote shall be counted, declared, and reported to the board of county good roads commission as prescribed by law in the election of members of the General Assembly.

Form of ballot.

Canvass of vote.

Issuance of bonds.

Sec. 10. In event that a majority of the votes cast shall be for good roads at such election herein provided for, after the fesult has been declared and recorded as aforesaid, the board of good roads commissioners, as aforesaid, of the county, at its next regular meeting shall proceed to carry out the wishes of the voters as expressed at such election, as herein provided. The said good roads commission for Ashe County shall then proceed with the least possible delay to issue such bonds in such denominations and of such class and for such term as may be deemed best by said good roads commission, said bonds to be signed by the chairman and secretary of the said good roads commission, but that no bonds shall bear a higher rate of interest than six

per cent and shall not be sold for less than their par value.

Interest.

Issue of bonds upon petition of freeholders representing majority of taxable property.

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SEC. 11. That after the holding of an election as provided for in this act for a road bond issue and a majority of the votes cast shall have been "Against Good Roads," then and in that event, upon the written petition of such number of freeholders in said county as will in the aggregate represent a majority of the taxable property of said county as shown by the tax books of the preceding year, said board of good roads commissioners for Ashe County shall be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to issue bonds to be styled "Road Bonds of the County of Ashe," not to exceed the limitation hereinafter stated, of such denominations and of such proportions as the board of road commissioners for said county may deem advisable, bearing interest from the date of the issue thereof at a rate not to exceed six per cent per annum, with interest coupons attached, payable annually, at such time or times, and at such place or places as may be deemed advisable by the said board of road commissioners, said